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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated February 7, 2001, please amend this application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel claims 1-11 and 14-27 and 29-31, without prejudice or disclaimer.

Please amend claims 12 and 13 to read as follows (Exhibit I contains a marked up version of the amended claims):

12. (Amended) A method of obtaining a motion-compensated image, said method comprising the steps of:

(a) obtaining a first motion vector MV1 between the motioncompensated-image and one reference image R1 of a plurality of